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TAGS: PINT, PINS, KS

SUBJECT: KCIA RELEASES TWO, BUT CONTINUES TO HOLD ONE

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL ACTION LEADER

REF: SEOUL 6350

AFTERNOON PRESS, SEPT. 26, REPORTS THAT PHILOSOPHER HAM SUK-HAN AND EX-DONGA ILBO EDITOR CHON KWAN-U WERE RELEASED EVENING SEPT. 25 FROM KCIA DETENTION. HOWEVER, CATHOLIC SOURCE STATES THAT JC CHAIRMAN LEE CHONG-BOK CONTINUES TO REMAIN IN CUSTODY AS OF AFTERNOON SEPT. 26, DESPITE EARLIER ASSURANCES OF HIS PENDING RELEASE.

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